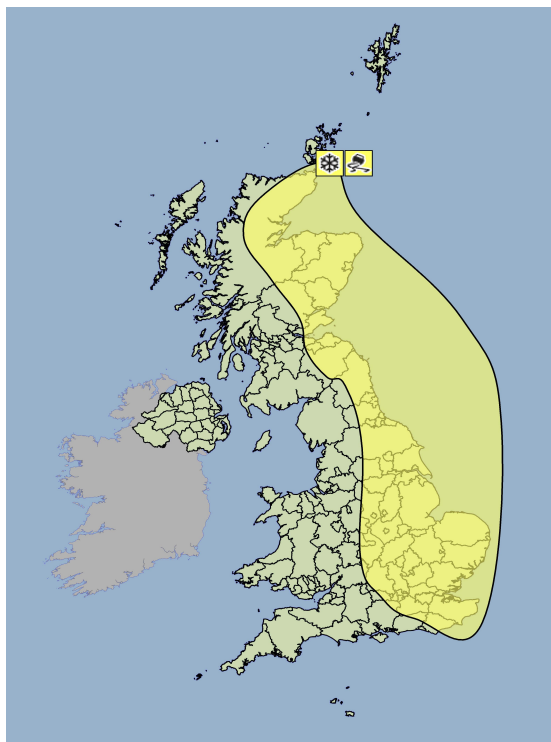




National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

A cold air mass will continue to affect much of the UK. Weak frontal remnants coming southwards will bring a mixture of rain, sleet and snow showers accompanied by slightly less cold air, with rain more likely on exposed coasts. As surfaces fall below freezing on Tuesday evening icy stretches are likely almost anywhere. Heavier showers are likely close to coasts of eastern Scotland and northeast England, falling as snow, mainly over higher ground. Any snow cover will be variable in nature with icy surfaces more of an issue across eastern and central England following melting of today's localised snow cover.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning of Snow and Ice**

Valid from **18:00 on Tue, 03rd Feb 2015** until **11:00 on Wed, 04th Feb 2015**

Showers of sleet and snow will continue to affect many eastern and particularly northeastern parts of the UK through the rest of Tuesday and into Wednesday giving icy stretches on untreated surfaces. The focus of showers is likely to transfer from northern and eastern Scotland and northeast England to parts of eastern and southeastern England on Tuesday night, with a few possibly penetrating into central England. Rain and sleet is more likely near exposed coasts but slightly further inland local snow accumulations of 1-3 cm are possible above around 100 m, with perhaps 5-10 cm over the Grampians and North York Moors. Most inland areas of the south should miss the snow. The snow showers will ease across much of Scotland later in the night.

The public should be aware of the potential for disruption to travel.

This warning has been updated to change it to a combined ice and snow warning. The start time has been brought forward to Tuesday evening and the end time brought forward to the middle of Wednesday.

For more details please go to:

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